

# **REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION(RCE)TRANSMITTAL** **(Submitted Only via EFS-Web)**

Application Number	10726261	Filing Date	2003-03-01	Docket Number (if applicable)	61812.00003	Art Unit	1795
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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 of the above-identified application.  
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☒ Previously submitted. If a final Office action is outstanding, any amendments filed after the final Office action may be considered as a submission even if this box is not checked.

☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Enclosed

☐ Amendment/Reply

☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)

☐ Affidavit(s)/ Declaration(s)

☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

## **MISCELLANEOUS**

☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a period of months \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i) required)

☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

## **FEES**

The RCE fee under 37 CFR 1.17(e) is required by 37 CFR 1.114 when the RCE is filed.

☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any underpayment of fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 071850

## **SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT REQUIRED**

☒ Patent Practitioner Signature

☐ Applicant Signature

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**

 Docket No.  
**61812.00003**

In re Application of:

**Sung Hoi Choi**

Serial No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Group Art Unit
<b>10/726,261</b>	<b>December 1, 2003</b>	<b>Mark Ruthkosky</b>	<b>1795</b>

 Invention: **IMPLANTABLE BIOFUEL CELL SYSTEM BASED ON NANOSTRUCTURES**
**TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:**

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action mailed November 26, 2007, in the above-identified application.

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

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 From: February 26, 2008 until March 26, 2008  
Date Date

 The fee for the extension of time is **\$60.00 (small entity)** and is to be paid as follows:

- ☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. **07-1850**.
- ☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefore and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **07-1850**.

 Dated: March 6, 2008  
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